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Attorney Docket No. A-67724-8/RFT/JJD

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of) Art Unit: 1743
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CARL T. WITTWER, *et al.*) Examiner: A. Marschel
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BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES)

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time to file a response to the final Office Action mailed May 24, 2000 by extended by three months to November 24, 2000. The required fee of \$445.00 is enclosed herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(c).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-67724-8/RFT/JJD).

Respectfully submitted,

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